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**New York, Columbia University, Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Plimpton MS 140**

*Description:* ff. iii + i + 12 + ii - In French calf, s. XVIII; both covers now detached. - "Marii Caetani Aglioti Pauli F.," ca. 1650; Richard Heber (1773-1833); Friedrich Ludwig von Keller (1799-1860); George A. Plimpton (1855-1936). - De Ricci, p. 1777.

*Number of Parts:* 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 3

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*Language:* Latin *Country:* Italy *Century:* 15th

**Part 1:** ff. 1-12

*Description:* - Parchment - 225 x 164 mm - 18 long lines ruled in dry point.

*Country:* Italy

*Cardinal point:*

*Region:* Campania

*City:* Naples

*Assigned Date:* s. XV<sup>med</sup>

*Searchable Date Range:* 1440 - 1460

*Dated by scribe:* No

*Inscribed Date:*

*Document:* No

*Number of Scribes:* ;1

*Scribe(s):* Pietro Ursuleo of Capua

*Script:* Humanistic; some Greek, apparently in the hand of the same scribe.

*Other Decoration:* 4-line gold initial with white vine stem set on a scalloped ground of dark red, blue and green; 2-line gold initial with blue infilling, set on a scalloped dark red ground.

*Number of Texts:* 1

**Text 1:** ff. 1-12

*Author:* Lorenzo Valla

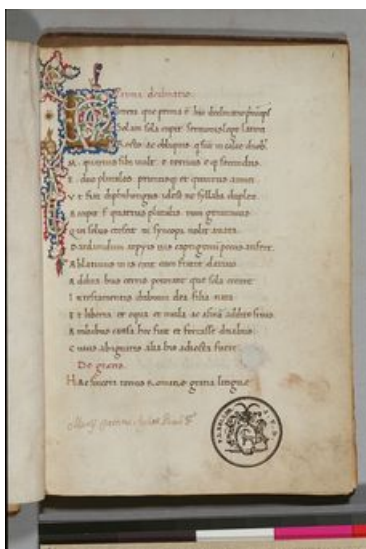
*Other Associate:* Alexander de Villa Dei

*Title:* Commentary on the Doctrinale

*Language(s):* Latin

*Notes:* f. 12v blank.

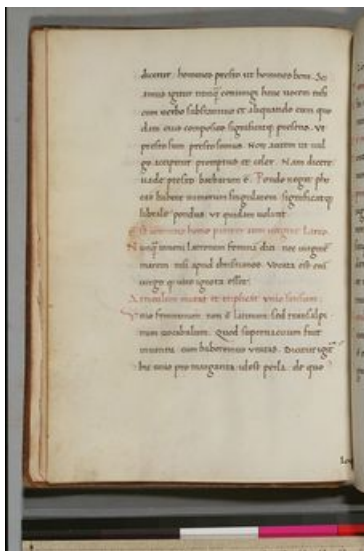
*Status of text:* Poetic and prose commentary on certain verses of the Doctrinale



f. 1 White vine stem decoration; ownership note; ownership stamp.

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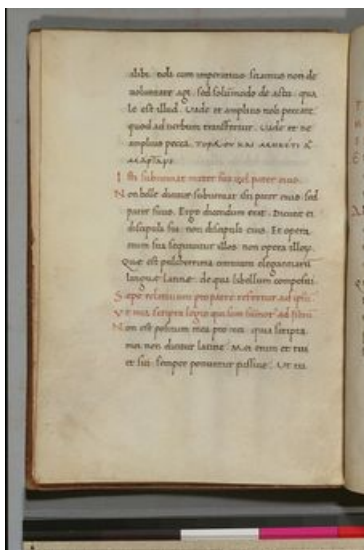
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f. 8v Catchword horizontally in gutter.

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f. 11v Lines 5-6, Greek in text; line 13, de qua libellum composui

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